# **CONTRACT DATA REQUIREMENTS LIST**

(2 Data Items)

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| A. CONTRACT LI   | NE ITEM NO.   | B. EXHIBI   | т  | TDP   | ATEGORY  |                                      | OTHER  |            |          |  | l i  |  |
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| D. SYSTEM/ITEM   | 1<br>-00-624-7944   | 1   | E. CONTRACT  | I/PR N  | O.   | F. CON                               | TRACTOR  |            |          |  | <b> </b>                                     |  |
| 1. DATA ITEM NO.   | 2. TITLE OF DATA ITE  |   |  |   |  | 3. SUBTIT                            | I F  |            |          |  | 17. PRICE GROU                               |  |
| A001   |   |   | PROCEDURE  | S   |  |                                      |  |            |          |  |  |  |
|  | quisition Document No.)   |   | 5. CONTRACT REF  |   | <u></u>  |                                      | 6. REQUIRING OFFICE  |            |          |  | 18. ESTIMATED                                |  |
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| D1 –.<br>7. DD 250 REQ   | NDTI-80603  | 10 FREQUENC   | <u></u>  | 12 DAT  | TE OF FIRST SUBMISSION   | N.                                   | WR-ALC   | :/LEE      |          |  |  |  |
| SD   | REQUIRED  | 1 TIME SEE BLOCK 16                                     |  |   |  | 14. DISTRIBUTION                     |  |            |          |  |  |  |
| 8. APP CODE  | -   | 11. AS OF DATE 13. DATE OF SUBSEQUENT                   |  |   | :  | b. COPIES                            |  |            |          |  |  |  |
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| 16. REMARKS  |   |   |  |   |  |                                      | WR-ALC/LEE   | 0          | 2        | 0  | H  |  |
| BLOCK 7: FORM DD250 shall be submitted with the procedures to  |   |   |  | 295 BYRON ST.                                     |  |                                      |  |            |          |  |  |  |
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| Contractor   | shall esta  | blish te  | est proce  | dure  | es, test   |                                      | 295 BYRON ST.  | 0          |          | — <u> </u>                                       |  |  |
| equipment a  | and the ins   | pection   | criteria   | tha   | at will be   | used                                 | ROBINS AFB GA  |            |          |  |  |  |
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|  | isapproval  | within 4  | 45 days a  | fter  | receipt o  | f                                    |  |            |          |  |  |  |
| procedures   | by LEE.   |   |  |   |  |                                      |  |            |          |  |  |  |
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|  | NDTI-80809B   |   |  | <b></b>   |  |                                      | WR-ALC   | /LEE       |          |  |  |  |
| 7. DD 250 REQ  | 9. DIST STATEMENT<br>REQUIRED   | 10 FREQUENC   |  | l   | TE OF FIRST SUBMISSIO  | ON                                   | 14. DISTRIBUTION   |            |          | l il   |  |  |
| SD<br>8. APP CODE  |   |   | TIME   |   | BLOCK 16   |                                      |  | t          | . COPIE  |  |  |  |
|  |   | 11. AS OF DAT   |  | 13. DAT<br>SUE                                    | E OF SUBSEQUENT<br>BMISSION  | 13. DATE OF SUBSEQUENT<br>SUBMISSION |  | Draft F    |          | inal   | al   |  |
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| 16. REMARKS  |   |   |  | 255   | BLOCK 16   |                                      |  | Draft      | Reg      | Repro  | i  |  |
|  |   |   |  | SEE   | BLOCK 16   |                                      | WR-ALC/LEE   | Draft<br>0 | Reg<br>2 | Repro<br>0                                       |  |  |
| BLOCK 7:   |   |   |  |   |  |                                      | WR-ALC/LEE<br>295 BYRON ST.  |            | <u> </u> | ·  |  |  |
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| FIRST ARTICLE REQUIREMENTS 1. DATE   |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|
| (AFMCI 64-110, AFMCI 23-102 and  |  |  | 5/13/04  |
| 2. P/R/MIPR NUMBER   | 3. PART NUMBER 6796651   | 4. NSN<br>5120-00-624-79   | 44   |
| 5. FIRST ARTICLE QUANTITY  THE FIRST ARTICLE IS ( 1  AND WILL BE PART OF PRODUCTION  | UNIT(S) OF LO  |  |  |
| 6. ARTICLES  | AT QOMITTI   | 7. LONG LEAD TIME ITEMS  | VIIII.   |
| STANDA   |  | REQUIRED NOT REQ (See FAR 52.209-3 or -4,Alternate II)   | UIRED  |
| 8. SPECIAL REQUIREMENT / PRODUCTION F  | ACILITIES (See FAR 52.2  | 09 -3 or -4 Alternate 1)   |  |
| ☐ REQUIRED   |  | NOT REQUIRED   |  |
| not manufactured by the contractor, such compone<br>the contract. A certification to this effect must acc  | ent must be manufactured at t  | em is to be produced under the contract, or if the F he facilities in which the component is to be producted is offered."  | rst Article is a component<br>eed for  |
|  | VERNMENT TESTING   | F. FIRST ARTICLE DELIVERY:   |  |
| Performance or other characteristics which the first meet are <u>DATA PACKAGE / CONTRACT</u> B. The detailed technical requirements for first arti | cle approval tests are   | (1) Due Withincalendar da<br>(2) Notify calendar da<br>(3) Delivered to government at  |  |
| contained in WITHIN THE DATA PACKA   | GE / CONTRACT  |  |  |
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| of test time and location due days presting.  E. X TEST REPORT REQUIRED  (1) DD Form 1423 ELIN   | lar days from date of proval / disapproval  equesting activity) rior to start of  B contract  Report)  / disapproval due | (4) Government written notice of approvation calendar days after receip  G. Estimated cost of government testing / insp  \$  | t of first article package.  |
| 10. DISPOSITION OF FIRST ARTICLES  |  | Disapproved first articles will be returned  | to the contractor at the   |
| Approved first articles will be forwarded to _   | •  | discretion of the Contracting officer.   |  |
| (insert quantity), First Articles will Residual components of disapproved first art returned to the contractor.                                    |  | On purchase request designated as direct disposition will supply. (NOTE: Always Military Sales (FMS)).   |  |
| First articles will be installed on aircraft proper fit / function. Approved artic aircraft/equipment and will not be forwarder                    | cles will remain on the  | <ul> <li>a. Approved first articles will be shipment with production item.</li> <li>b. Disposition of disapproved first articles will be shipment with production item.</li> </ul> |  |
| be considered part of the contract quantity.   |  | as marked above.  Other Disposition:   | and the second s |

| FIRST ARTICLE REQUIREMENTS (Continuation) 11. CONDITION(s) FOR WAIVER OF FIRST ARTICLE APPROVAL   |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| a. Offerors who have previously furnished production quantities of the same or similar article to the prime contractor for delivery to the Government, DOD, Air Force,  |  |  |  |  |
| b. Offerors currently in production of the same or similar article for a Government, DOD, Air Force contract and who have received First Article approval under the existing contract.  |  |  |  |  |
| c. Offerors who have previously furnished production quantities of the same or similar article to the Government, DOD,  Air Force provided articles thus furnished have exhibited satisfactory performance in service, in the opinion of the Air Force.   |  |  |  |  |
| d. Provided not more than 60 months have elapsed since completion of the contract.  |  |  |  |  |
| e. Tirst Article testing will not be waived. (See Block 12)"  |  |  |  |  |
| f. See Remarks in Block 12 below.   |  |  |  |  |
| NOTE TO BUYER: UNDER CONDITIONS A AND C ABOVE, THE COGNIZANT ENGINEERING ACTIVITY WILL DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT THE ITEM HAS EXHIBITED SATISFACTORY PERFORMANCE IN SERVICE AND PREPARE AND RETAIN SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION TO FULLY JUSTIFY THIS DECISION. THE BUYER MUST SOLICIT DUAL PRICES (That is, both with and without requirement for first article approval) AND MUST FURNISH THE COGNIZANT ENGINEERING ACTIVITY WITH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON THE PREVIOUSLY SUPPLIED ARTICLE:   |  |  |  |  |
| A. Procuring Office B. Contract Number  | C. Date of Contract D. Specification Number and Revision |  |  |  |
| 12. REMARKS FIRST ARTICLE JUSTIFICATION, A FIRST ARTICLE TEST/ ITEM CHARACTERISTICS:  | /INSPECTION IS REQUIRED DUE TO THE FOLLOWING             |  |  |  |
| Critical to: Safety / Operations / Mission Application / Upin First Competitive Procurement (data unproved)  Contractor previously furnished item but:  a. Has had changes in processes  b. Production discontinued for extended period  c. Product under previous contract developed problems  Product described by performance specifications.  Product associated with complex manufacturing process:  a. Forging, Casting, extrusion.  b. Close tolerances, Precision machining.  c. Bonded Panel.  d. Complex Contours requiring loft/mylar data.  e. Requires numerical controlled equipment.  Critical characteristics verifiable only by specialized laborated Product has Government Industry Data Exchange Program of Accuracy, quality, and/or completeness of technical data  Other | tory testing.<br>(GIDEP) report against it.              |  |  |  |
| applicable.   |  |  |  |  |
| 13. COGNIZANT ENG ORGANIZATION RESPONSIBLE FOR CONDUCTING AND /OR APPROVING TEST (Name, Organization, Phone)  | 14. PR INITIATOR, (Name, Organization, Phone)            |  |  |  |
| STEPHEN SEILER, WR-ALC/LEEE, DSN 472-1350   |  |  |  |  |

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF FIRST ARTICLE REQUIREMENTS (AFMC FORM 260)

BLOCKS 1 - 4 AND 14 WILL BE COMPLETED BY THE INITIATOR OF PURCHASE REQUEST OR BLOCKS 1, 3-9F, 10-13 BY RSEA. DO NOT ENTER COST ESTIMATE IN BLOCK 9.G OF ORIGINAL USE THIS SECTION FOR SPECIAL NOTES .

BLOCKS 1,3-5-9.F. AND 10-13 WILL BE COMPLETED BY THE ENGINEER AND/OR EQUIPMENT SPECIALIST. IF LOCAL PURCHASE, INITIATOR OF PURCHASE REQUEST SHALL COMPLETE.

BLOCKS 1 THRU 4 SELF-EXPLANATORY.

BLOCK 5, INSERT QUANTITY OF FIRST ARTICLE TO BE TESTED. INDICATE WHETHER THE FIRST ARTICLE ITEM IS PART OF OR IN ADDITION TO THE PRODUCTION QUANTITY. (Normally the First Article in "Contractor Testing" are delivered (if not destroyed) with the production items.) PER FAR 9.301 FIRST ARTICLE MEANS PREPRODUCTION MODELS/SAMPLES, INITIAL PRODUCTION SAMPLES, TEST SAMPLES, FIRST LOTS, PILOT MODELS OR PILOT LOTS.

BLOCK 6, INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT THE FIRST ARTICLE WILL SERVE AS A MANUFACTURING STANDARD. (FAR 9.306(h)),

If the first articles will serve as a manufacturing standard, BLOCK 10 cannot be "Approved First articles will be forwarded to STOCK."

# RSEA - Specify who pays freight to ship "MANUFACTURING STANDARD" back to the manufacturer.

BLOCK 7, SEE FAR 52.209-3 OR -4, ALTERNATE II.

BLOCK 8, SEE FAR 9.308. SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS/PRODUCTION FACILITY - This block is usually checked off as "Required".

BLOCK 9, MUST BE CHECKED TO INDICATE WHETHER THE CONTRACTOR OR THE GOVERNMENT IS TO PERFORM TESTING. (FAR9.306).

- A. THE SPECIFIC PARAGRAPH OF THE SPECIFICATION MUST BE INCLUDED OR THE PARTICULAR REQUIREMENT CITED
- B. THE SPECIFIC PARAGRAPH(S) OF THE SPECIFICATION MUST BE INCLUDED OR THE PARTICULAR REQUIREMENTS CITED
- C. THE PARAGRAPH IS OPTIONAL AND IS REQUIRED ONLY WHEN A TEST PLAN IS REQUIRED IS REQUIRED. THE REQUIRED ENTRIES ARE SELF EXPLANATORY
- D. THE "NUMBER OF DAYS" ENTRY SHOULD BE FAR ENOUGH IN ADVANCE OF THE TESTING TO PERMIT ANY GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATION AT THE TESTING SITE.
- E. THIS PARAGRAPH IS SELF EXPLANATORY. (NOTE: All dates must be realistic and include adequate productions and administrative times.)
- F(1). THE DELIVERY DATES MUST BE REALISTIC AND INCLUDE ADEQUATE PRODUCTION AND ADMINISTRATIVE LEAD TIMES.
- (2). THIS NOTIFICATION SHOULD BE NO LESS THAN TEN DAYS.
- (3). ENTER ADDRESS WHERE FIRST ARTICLES IS TO BE DELIVERED FOR TESTING.
- (4). THIRTY DAYS OR LONGER NOTIFICATION MUST BE CONSIDERED WHEN GOVERNMENT TESTING REQUIRES SPECIAL FIXTURES AND/OR AIRCRAFT.
- G. THIS ESTIMATE SHOULD BE AS ACCURATE AS POSSIBLE AND INCLUDE GOVERNMENT LABOR COST FOR TEST; TOOLS/TEST EQUIPMENT; GOVERNMENT EVALUATION OF CONTRACTOR TEST REPORT; ETC.

BLOCK 10. APPLIES TO GOVERNMENT TESTING. APPLIES TO CONTRACTOR TEST ONLY IF ITEMS ARE NOT SUBMITTED AS PRODUCTION UNITS. IN THESE CASES CITE DISPOSITION.

BLOCK 11. SELF-EXPLANATORY. SIMILAR ARTICLES ARE THOSE WHICH, FOR PURPOSE OF MANUFACTURE, ARE SUBSTANTIALLY THE SAME AS THE ITEM BEING PURCHASED (For example, items that differ only in size or in place of operation (i.e., left vs right side of aircraft)).

**BLOCK 12. SELF-EXPLANATORY** 

**BLOCK 13 AND 14. SELF-EXPLANATORY** 

# NOTE: ADDITIONAL AFMC FORM 260 INSTRUCTIONS

#### AFMCI 64-110/RAFB Sup 1 Attachment 1 30 March 1995

For purchase request (PRs) with estimates of \$25,000 or less, the specific rationale for first article testing shall be stated. The evaluation of the PRs and validation of the need for first article will be accomplished by branch level RSEA. The RSEA shall review rationale such as; complexity of the item, criticality of the item, cost of first article testing, safety risk of not testing, impacts to the delivery schedule, and other pertinent factors, including FAR 9.303 and 9.304; and determine if first article requirements are appropriate.

# AFMC Form 260 CHECKLIST

Complete the AFMC Form 260 as if the item is being procured by another agency, but we retain engineering responsibility. Requirements for maintaining configuration control is essential. All items procured for weapons, communication, navigation or aircraft prime at this ALC should be considered critical and require a first article with visual inspection and/or next higher assembly (NHA) test witnessed by the RSEA<sup>1</sup> at this ALC. FIRST ARTICLE MAY NOT BE WAIVED UNDER THE FOLLOWING CIRCUMSTANCES: Contractor not previously furnished product. Contractor previously furnished but: a. Changes in process. b. Production discontinued for extended period. c. Product under previous contract developed problems. Product described by performance spec. Product associated w/complex manufacturing process. Product critical for safety. Product has critical mission application / use. Product has Government Industry Data Exchange Program (GIDEP) report against it. Accuracy, quality, and/or completeness of technical data provided by the vendor will not be considered as proof of production capability.. IPE (Initial Production Evaluation) will not be considered as proof of production capability. **OPR** Block **Selections** Current date RSEA RSEA, Do Not Input on Original ......IM dimensional tests and one or more for destructive testing if required. This also allows simultaneous testing. (See 5.(3) below.) (CLIN) for the First Article required and --K- procuring branch will use appropriate suffix. item is for FMS, Other Gov't Agency, etc. determine if First Article will be destroyed during testing (See 5.(4) below). This also affects disposition instructions of approved First Articles (Block 10.). item is part of or in addition to the production quantity. (Normally the first articles in "contractor testing" are delivered (if not destroyed) with the production items.) per FAR 9.301 First Article means preproduction models/samples, initial production samples, test samples, first lots, pilot models or pilot lots. If this is an FMS buy, Other Gov't Agency, etc. Consider (3) above. Two Choices in this Block RSEA to Specs and Data Package? If Yes procured to Specs or Data Pkg Will not serve as a manufacturing standard. checked as no. 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Responsible Systems Engineering Authority, reference AFMCI 64-110, First Article Management, par. "SUMMARY OF CHANGES"

| Yes/No        | AFMC 260 states this is usually checked as required. We want the First Arts manufactured at the same facility where the Production Units will be manufactured   | icle                         |
|---------------|---|------------------------------|
| <u> </u>      | Test / Inspection RequirementsRSEA  |                              |
|               | Contractor or Government Testing. (FAR 9.306). (Both may be required).  |                              |
| □ <b>A</b>    | In all cases the RSEA shall either consult with the appropriate engineering office determine the specification paragraph or the appropriate engineering office shave full responsibility for this block   |                              |
| □B            | In all cases the RSEA shall either consult with the appropriate engineering office determine the specification paragraph or the appropriate engineering office shave full responsibility for this block.  | e to<br>hall                 |
| □C            | <u>CONTRACTOR TEST ONLY</u> - The paragraph is optional and is required only was a test plan is required from the contractor. The required entries are self explanators   |                              |
|               | <u>CONTRACTOR TEST ONLY</u> - The "number of days" entry should be far enough advance of the testing to permit any government representation at the testing site.   | h in                         |
| E             | In all cases the RSEA shall either consult with the appropriate engineering office determine the specification paragraph or the appropriate engineering office shave full responsibility for this block.  |                              |
| (1)           | The delivery dates must be realistic and include adequate production administrative lead times.   | and                          |
| (2)           | This notification should be no less than fourteen calendar days.  |                              |
| <b></b>       | Enter address where first article(s) are to be delivered for testing.   |                              |
| (4)           | Thirty days or longer notification must be considered when government test requires special fixtures and/or aircraft.   | ting                         |
| □ <b>F</b>    | <u>GOVERNMENT TEST ONLY</u> -   |                              |
| □(1)          | Due Within calendar days from date of contract. Take into considerar materials, castings, machining, fabrication or wiring and testing.   | tion                         |
| □(2)          | Notify <u>20</u> calendar days prior to shipment. Allows First Article Manager tim print drawings(if required), send package to RSEA and have a complete pack ready for First Article testing.  |                              |
|               | Delivered to government at <u>IAW SOLICITATION/ CONTRACT</u> . If tests being conducted at another government agency, the address may be entered BLOCK 12 Remarks.  | d in                         |
| □( <b>4</b> ) | Government written notice of approval/disapproval within days after rec of first article package.   | eipt                         |
| □ G           | In all cases the RSEA shall either consult with the appropriate engineering offic determine the specification paragraph or the appropriate engineering office s have full responsibility for this block. Estimated cost of government testing/inspection can not be determined until the required tests are specified by appropriate engineering office. After First Article tests are complete, the actual cost will be written on a copy of the AFMC Form 260 and sent to the IM by letter approval or rejection for the next PR. | shall<br>ment<br>the<br>test |
| 10            | appropriate engineering office to determine the specification paragraph or  |                              |
|               | appropriate engineering office shall have full responsibility for this block.   |                              |
|               | SIMILAR ARTICLES  |                              |

(Selection C) The items may also be totally different.

|          | (Selection D) Variable, AFMCI 23-102 "Ex qualification requirements, first article inspection m qualified producer's capabilities when it has bee producer delivered a production lot of the item.)" | ay be used to revalidate a previously   |
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|          | (Section F) should be checked.   |   |
| <u> </u> | <u>REMARKS</u>   | RSEA/FAM                                |
|          | This Block contains options which require a First appropriate to the acquisition. The contracting office previously furnished the item will send a requirement of the consideration.                 | cer will review and if a contractor has |
| <u> </u> | <u>COGNIZANT ENG Name</u>  | RSEA                                    |
| <u> </u> | <u>PR Initiator</u>  | IM                                      |
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### NOTE: ADDITIONAL AFMC FORM 260 INSTRUCTIONS

## UNTIL A REPLACEMENT IS ISSUED FOR AFMCI 64-110/RAFB Sup 1 Attachment 1 30 March 1995

For purchase request (PRs) with estimates of \$25,000 or less, the specific rationale for first article testing shall be stated. The evaluation of the PRs and validation of the need for first article will be accomplished by branch level RSEA. The RSEA shall review rationale such as; complexity of the item, criticality of the item, cost of first article testing, safety risk of not testing, impacts to the delivery schedule, and other pertinent factors, including FAR 9.303 and 9.304; and determine if first article requirements are appropriate.

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